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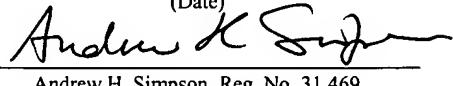
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 TUBULAR POUCH HAVING A
 STANDING BASE FORMED
 INTEGRALLY THEREWITH,
 AND TUBULAR POUCH
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendments to the application filed herewith, which is the entry into the U.S. national phase of PCT/EP2005/001962.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.